UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA CHARLOTTE DIVISION DOCKET NO. 3:11-cr-00212-MOC

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
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)	
Vs.)	ORDER
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THOMAS C. BRIGGS,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

THIS MATTER is before the court on defendant's Motion to Continue Sentencing. For cause, counsel states in part that he does not have sufficient time to prepare a sentencing memorandum due to work in another court earlier this month. Review of the Objections to the Presentence report reveals, however, that counsel appears to have a good head start on preparing such memorandum as nearly three pages of the November 30, 2012, Objections discuss the merits of the "Sentencing Memorandum and Motion for Downward Departure and/or Variance." Objections (#9) at 1-4.

The court will continue the hearing for one week rather than the two requested, and direct the Clerk to reschedule this matter for hearing on February 28, 2013.

ORDER

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that defendant's Motion to Continue Sentencing (#12) is GRANTED, and the Clerk of Court is instructed to place this matter on for hearing February 28, 2013, at 2 p.m.

Signed: February 15, 2013

Max O. Cogburn Jr.
United States District Judge